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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1-2

Part B for March 1920

SUBJECT.

Re Formation of Non-Gazetted officers Association

From M. Chengiah Chetty Esq: President of the Non-Gazetted officers meeting
Forwards a copy of the resolution passed at the meeting held on the 24th Feby 20.

To No 1779/12-3-920 to M. Chengiah Chetty Esq
President of the Non-Gazetted officers meeting
Regds the above resolutions

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Re formation of a Non-Gazetted Press Association

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From M. Chengiah Chetty Esq. President Non-Gazetted Officer's Association, Banga

Letter dy 26.2.1920.

Forwards a copy of the resolution pa at the meeting of the Non-Gazetted Office held on 24.2.1920 to form an Associa for their Material, moral, intellectual a Social welfare.

Submitted with a copy of R Rules for the Conduct of Public Servan

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2 The Resolution has merely been reported for the information of Govt.

3 It is, however, necessary to note whet such an association ~~into a~~ is permissib or whether interference is necessary. There is at present no rule prohibi such associations, and in fact there are other associations of this kind to promote esprit de corps an mutual betterment or specialisatn e.g. the Mysore Engineers' Associatn the M.C.S. Association, the Accountan Association. Associations of this nature have been recognised for a long time past in England.

4 There is Considerable field for

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Such an association, in the direction of providing better housing, a ~~Common~~ social club etc for this class of Govt Officers.

Therefore no interdiction appears called for.

5. Rules 29 ~~etc~~ of the Rules for Conduct of public servants prohibit joint memorials, printed memorials etc in official matters. It is believed the organisers ~~of the~~ are aware of this provision. But this prohibition will apply only when memorials on official matters are sent up by the Assn.

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6 Similar Associations have been & are being formed in various parts of the Madras Presy.

7. I am inclined to think that the provisions in Rule 29 above referred to are rather old fashioned & founded on the natural antipathy of an Employer to any combination among his employees. Now that trade unionism is playing a large & recognised part in the industrial world, it does not seem possible that

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Govt as one of the largest employers of labour of various kinds can ~~altogether~~ oppose a movement of the kind among its employees.

On the other hand Govt can ~~direct~~ control ~~object~~ the energies of its employees into really useful lines of social activity.

8 One of the main objects & ~~first~~ activities of the association will be to consider the emoluments of the subordinate Govt service & press for an increase of pay &c.

This is inevitable & the rules about joint memorials &c will be evaded in the spirit if not in the letter.

9. I think the organisers may be told that Govt views with favour the formation of an association such as that proposed & that Govt hopes that it will develop useful lines of activity advantageous alike to the public service & the employees.

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any persons right commencing any boiler or machine.

11. The papers are sent for which they may kindly be recorded.

12. Certain rules under the Public Servants Conduct Rules regulating the conduct of public servants in force.

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12 Issued

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13. Necessary draft

14. Draft Order is submitted.

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15 Issued

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No. 1779 dt 12. 3. 920.
To M. Chengalvaroyachetty Esq B.A.
Resident Non-Gazetted Officers Association
Records the proceedings of the meeting

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Bangalore, 26th February 1920.

To

C.S.Balasundaram Iyer Esq., B.A.,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore.

Sir,

I am desired by the non-gazetted officers in the City of Bangalore, to convey to Government, the resolution passed at their meeting held on Tuesday the 24th February 1920, to form an Association for their material, moral, intellectual and social welfare. A copy of the proceedings is also enclosed.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

President.

Proceedings of the Preliminary meeting of the Non-Gazetted officers' Association, Bangalore, held in Government Collegiate High School Hall, Bangalore, on Tuesday the 24th February 1920.

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Chairman: M.Chengiah Chetty Esq., B.A., President of the Bangalore City Committee of the Civic and Social Progress Association.

The meeting commenced at 6 P.M. and Mr.Chengiah Chetty being proposed to the chair, delivered his introductory speech as -- appended hereto.

The following resolutions were thereafter proposed and -- carried by a majority:-

I. That this meeting of the Non-Gazetted Officers of the State in the City of Bangalore resolves to form an Association to be - styled "The Non-Gazetted Mysore Government Officers Association" with a view to promote the material, moral, intellectual and social welfare of its members".

II. That the following gentlemen be elected provisionally to prepare draft rules for the working of the Association and to make all other arrangements to inaugurate the Association formally at an early date, with power to add to them.

Sl.No.	Persons.	Offices.
1.	Mr.T.K.Someswara Iyer	Gen.& Rev.Secretariat.
2.	" B.Ramaiya	
3.	" N.Venkatasubbaiya	Director of Agriculture.
4.	" M.A.Srinivasiengar	Revenue Commissioner
5.	" Shamanna	
6.	" Narasaiya	Chief Electrical Engineer
7.	" A.Narasimhachar	Comptroller.
8.	" Srinivasamurthi	
9.	" L.Bhima Rao	Education Department.
10.	" Anantapadmanabha Iyer	

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Sl.No.	Persons	Offices.
11.	Mr. M.Ramaswamaiya	Muzrai Superintendent
12.	" C.N.Subba Rao	Economic Conference
13.	" Venkataramayya	Registrar of Co-op.Societies
14.	" N.P.Subramania Iyer	Government Press
15.	" R.Vasudeva Rao	Chief Engineer
16.	" K.Krishna Rao	Deputy Commissioner
17.	" S.Aranha, B.A.	Supdg.Engineering, Eastern Circle
18.	" Rajagopaliengar	Chief Court.
19.	" Narasinga Rao	
20.	" M.Govinda Rao	City Municipality
21.	" S.Shiva Rao	Senior Surgeon
22.	" S.V.Krishnaswamy Iyer	Supdt.of Rev.Survey
23.	" D.Ramachandra Rao	
24.	" Subramania Pillai	Excise Commissioner
25.	" Raja Rao	Director of Ind.& Commerce
26.	" R.Narayana Rao	
27.	" Mamtaz Hussain	Conservator of Forests
28.	" Govindarajalu Naidu	
29.	" L.Raghavendra Rao	Chief Commandant.

With Messrs.Someswara Iyer and C.N.Subba Rao as Joint Provisional Secretaries. The quorum for the meeting of the Committee was fixed at one third of the members elected and to be co-opted.

III. That the President be requested to convey to Government the resolution regarding the formation of the Association.

The meeting dissolved with a vote of thanks to the Chair and to Mr.Gopalaswami Iyer and Cheers to His Highness the Maharaja and Dewan.

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"True Copy"

Sd/- M.Chenguiah Chetty
President.

Presidential speech by Mr.M.Chengiah Chetty at the ~~Inaugural~~ Preliminary meeting of the Non-Gazetted Mysore Government Officers' Association held on the 24th February 1920.

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My dear ffiends,

When I was asked to be the President of your Association, I was wondering why I was chosen to be your mouthpiece as I could not exercise any influence with the Government, having retired about ten years ago and therefore not being in touch with the latest administrative details. Perhaps you probably thought that my sympathies towards you would be stronger and more genuine as I was one of you for some years and therefore would realise your thoughts, feelings and actions more readily. This must be the only reason for your having chosen me to guide your deliberations. I therefore thank you sincerely for the honor you have done me and for the trust you have reposed in me and I feel confident that we would be able to achieve the objects for which the Association is organised.

There cannot be two opinions as to its advantages. It is a trite saying that union is strength. Can there be any doubt about it? ~~[illegible]~~. Look at the wonderful results Co-operative societies have achieved in our own country for the past quarter of a century. The benefits achieved by the members are innumerable. They have come out unscathed from sowcar's clutches. They have been enabled by their savings to increase the production of their lands and thus earn more and live more contented and happy than before.

The world war which has played its havoc for the last four years has brought about phenomenal changes in the world's movements. You have to look at everything now from an altogether different angle of vision. The people of different countries have been brought closer and closer and distance is almost annihilat[illegible] these unexpected, unheard [illegible]eamt changes have

affected persons of fixed income. The producer
have been immensely benefited while the consume
terribly. All of us come under the latter cat
have bountiful rains and consequently fairly go
the food situation has become worse. Prices
higher than in the previous years at this seas
should be, well supplied and prices should have
Our present situation is more critical. The
have had to direct the commandeering of food
found the producers holding up stocks ~~expecting~~ expecting
and having funds enough to meet the assessme
seems necessary that our Government also will
this rule in the State if the situation does no

As Amildars are rightly considered the
Executive Government, you are the backbone of
machinery. It is therefore necessary for th
that you are given a patient hearing a
-ed as early as possible. The prime neces
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the Government will not and cannot brush aside
tions constitutionally made by this Association

Another important point is the abnorm
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classes. All this is due as I said above to
very rapid changes that have taken place with
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before, The best of the Financial Experts a
what ~~shall~~ should be done. Any amount of artifici
proved of any avail. This has resulted in th
enormous sums of
~~surplus~~ money from India to England.

I hope this Association will improve the social, moral
-tual and economic condition of its members and make the
espirit de corps stronger through the blessings of Provi

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Signed by.....Mr. H.V. Ranganathan.....

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Proceedings of the Government of
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Read.— Letter dt 26th Feby 1920 from Mr M. Chengappa Chetty, President of the Non-Gazetted Officers' Association, Bangalore forwarding a copy of the resolution passed at the meeting of the Non-Gazetted Officers held on the 24th Feby 1920 to the effect that an association be formed for their material, moral, intellectual

over.

May this be

i Printed?

ii treated as a standing order?

iii published in the Gazette English part?

iv translated?

v placed at the disposal of the press?

vi published in the Gazette Kannada part?

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Chief Secretary to Govt

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To

Mr. Chengappa Chelli, Esq.
Prof; Non-Gazetted Officers' Association meeting
Bangalore.

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